

Disclosure of trading in own shares

Pursuant to Article 4 paragraph 4 of European Regulation n° 2273/2003 of December 22, 2003 implementing Directive 2003/6/EC of January 28, 2003, and in compliance with Article 241-5 of the AMF's General Regulations, L'Oréal declares below the transactions made on its own shares for the 12th/05/2008 to 16th/05/2008 period:

Session of	Number of shares purchased	Weighted average price in €	Amount in €
12/05/2008	63,000	78.97	4,974,895.80
13/05/2008	120,000	77.57	9,308,064.00
14/05/2008	90,000	77.39	6,964,812.00
15/05/2008	59,000	78.04	4,604,242.00
16/05/2008	70,000	77.87	5,450,900.00
Total	402,000		31,302,913.80

These transactions have been made without use of derivative instruments.

Since its creation by a chemist, almost a century ago, L'Oréal is concentrated on one unique area of expertise, cosmetics. With a turnover of euros 17,1 billion in 2007, the group focuses its activities on 25 global and culturally diverse brands distributed in every distribution channel. L'Oréal Professionnel, Kérastase, Matrix, Redken and Mizani in hair dressing salons. L'Oréal Paris, Maybelline, Garnier, SoftSheen-Carson in mass market. Vichy, La Roche Posay, Inneov, SkinCeuticals, Sanoflore in pharmacies and drug stores. Lancôme, Helena Rubinstein, Biotherm, Shu Uemura, Viktor&Rolf, Kiehl's, Giorgio Armani, Diesel, Cacharel, and Ralph Lauren in perfumeries and department stores. And The Body Shop in its own stores.

Research and innovation are at the core of L'Oréal's strategy. The Group has developed more than 120 new molecules over a period of 40 years. Research teams design new products in all areas of cosmetics: hair color, hair care, skincare, make-up and perfumes.

CONTACTS AT L'ORÉAL

Switchboard : +33.1.47.56.70.00

Individual shareholders and Market authorities

M. Jean Régis CAROF

☎ : +33.1.47.56.83.02

jcarof@loreal-finance.com

Financial analysts and Institutional investors

Mrs Caroline MILLOT

☎ : +33.1.47.56.86.82

cmillot@loreal-finance.com

For more information, please contact your bank, broker or financial institution (I.S.I.N. code: FR0000120321), and consult your usual newspapers, and the Internet site for shareholders and investors, <http://www.loreal-finance.com>, or its mobile version on your cell phone, <http://mobile.loreal-finance.com>

"This news release does not constitute an offer to sell, or a solicitation of an offer to buy L'Oréal shares. If you wish to obtain more comprehensive information about L'Oréal, please refer to the public documents registered in France with the Autorité des Marchés Financiers, also available in English on our Internet site www.loreal-finance.com.

This news release may contain some forward-looking statements. Although the Company considers that these statements are based on reasonable hypotheses at the date of publication of this release, they are by their nature subject to risks and uncertainties which could cause actual results to differ materially from those indicated or projected in these statements."

L'ORÉAL
PROFESSIONNEL
PARIS

KÉRASTASE
PARIS

MATRIX

REDKEN
27th AVENUE NYC

MIZANI

L'ORÉAL
PARIS

GARNIER

MAYBELLINE
NEW YORK

SOFTSHEEN-CARSON™

LANCÔME
PARIS

BIOThERM

HR HELENA
RUBINSTEIN

GIORGIO ARMANI
PARFUMS

DIESEL

RALPH LAUREN

cacharel

Kiehl's
SINCE 1851

shu uemura

VIKTOR&ROLF

VICHY
LABORATOIRES

LA ROCHE-POSAY
LABORATOIRE PHARMACEUTIQUE

innéov
nutricosmetics

SKINCEUTICALS

SANOFLORE
LABORATOIRE BIO

THE
BODY
SHOP

